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Dear Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Applicants Kyoko Ikawa and Tatsuo Horiba hereby submit the following documents to be filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

- 1. Response to Office Action Mailed July 9, 1997;
- 2. Check in the amount of \$400.00 for extension of time; and
- 3. Return Postcard.

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Respectfully submitted,

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